

# SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

## Tentative Agenda

Meeting No. 8

<b>DATE:</b>	<b>Thursday, March 9, 2006</b>
<b>TIME:</b>	<b>11:30 AM</b>
<b>PLACE:</b>	<b>Room 149 Annex</b>

**1. Call to Order and Roll Call**

**2. Bills for Consideration**

**SB 239**      **AN ACT relating to employment at the Kentucky School for**  
(BR 1860)      **the Blind and the Kentucky School for the Deaf.**  
Senator Tom Buford

Amend KRS 18A.115 to exempt certified teachers at the Kentucky School for the Blind and the Kentucky School for the Deaf in the state's classified service; amend KRS 163.032 to allow teachers hired at one of the residential schools to receive credit for all their years of experience; provide that the Attorney General shall appoint the members to a residential school teacher's tribunal under KRS161.790; require the Department of Education and the Personnel Cabinet to complete the hiring process within 2 weeks once a teacher has been selected for hiring at one of the residential schools; prohibit transferring residential teachers outside the county in which the school is located if not agreed to by the teacher; protect a teacher's accrued leave; amend KRS 161.790 to conform.

**HB 79/GA**      **AN ACT relating to a school employee on active military duty.**  
(BR 435)      Representatives Mike Denham, Bill Farmer, Reginald Meeks, Rick Nelson, Darryl Owens, and Mike Weaver

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 161 to permit a local board of education to continue paying a salary to a certified school employee called to active military duty; require state payments to the Kentucky Teachers' Retirement System or the Kentucky Employees Retirement System during that period; amend KRS 161.550 to require the state to provide annual appropriations to cover the cost.

**HB 125/GA**      **AN ACT relating to educational rank.**  
(BR 105)      Representative Jon Draud

Amend KRS 161.1211 to clarify Rank I status based on national board certification; prohibit Rank I for those teachers who used national board

certification to qualify if the certificate is revoked for misconduct or voided for other reasons.

**HB 449/GA AN ACT relating to postsecondary education.**

(BR 1507) Representatives Tanya Pullin and Addia Wuchner

Amend KRS 164.746 and 164A.050 to require that members of the board of directors of the Kentucky Student Loan Corporation shall also serve as the board of directors of the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority; specify responsibilities and duties of board members; provide for the continuation of terms for those serving as board members at the effective date of this Act; specify the procedures for reappointments or filling vacancy by term expiration of a member serving on a board at the effective date of this Act; specify that the board shall employ an executive director of the Kentucky Student Loan Corporation who shall also serve as the executive director for the authority; amend KRS 164A.701 to clarify that the purchase of a prepaid tuition account by a member of the board of directors or designation of a family member of a member of the board of directors as a qualified beneficiary under a prepaid tuition contract is not a conflict of interest.

**HCR 39/GA A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION confirming the  
(BR 812) reappointment of James G. Cibulka to the Education  
Professional Standards Board.**

Representatives Rocky Adkins and Ted Edmonds

Confirm the gubernatorial reappointment of James G. Cibulka to the Education Professional Standards Board.

**HCR 42/GA A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION confirming the  
(BR 807) appointment of Lorraine G. Williams to the Education  
Professional Standards Board.**

Representatives Rocky Adkins and Ted Edmonds

Confirm the gubernatorial appointment of Lorraine G. Williams to the Education Professional Standards Board.

**3. Interviews of Kentucky Board of Education appointees**

Mr. R. Keith Travis  
Mr. John Douglas Hubbard  
Dr. C.B. Akins, Sr.

**4. Other Business**

**5. Adjournment.**

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